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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AND AMENDMENT

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed from the Patent Office on April 28, 2008. Applicant concurrently submits a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time and a Request for Continued Examination. Please charge our Deposit Account No. 07-1700, reference no. EXT-055, in the amount of \$930.00 for the extension fee and the Request for Continued Examination fee. If any additional fees are required, please charge them to the same account.

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